

The Guardian.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1895.

LATE EDITORIAL.

If you want to invest your money in a business investment come to Safford. You will not be disappointed.

Much pressure is being brought to bear to cause the legislature now in session at Honolulu to adopt a joint resolution instructing President Dole to open annexation negotiations with the United States.

THE Los Angeles Express says: Arizona has added to her mineral productions lithographing stone, the first ever produced in the western hemisphere. The future of Arizona grows more promising continually.

THERE is no place in all creation with brighter prospects for the future than has Graham county. We have a pure healthy climate, productive soil and plenty of it; some of the richest mines on earth, and an intelligent, progressive people. What more can we ask.

If anybody thinks the national game is becoming a back number let them go to Illinois and umpire a game. At Quincy, Ill., a few days ago the crowd attempted to lynch the umpire, and would have succeeded but for the interference of the police and sheriff, who were assisted by a posse.

BROTHER DUNBAR is again at the editorial helm of the Gazette and the craft is again surging forward under a full head of steam. John is a "hummer" and no mistake, and his enemies might as well try to keep a duck perpetually out of water as to try to keep him out of Arizona journalism. C. P. Lietch is said to be the present owner of the Gazette and we wish "Col." all the success in the world in his new venture.

ON July 26th a meeting was called at Silver City to determine whether or not the people of that city should accept the aid proffered by eastern cities on account of the recent disastrous floods which damaged that city, and with true western pluck the meeting voted almost unanimously that they would not accept outside aid, but that the home business men were able to properly take care of those in destitute circumstances.

Every time the train arrives in Safford there is always a crowd of boys ready to board it several hundred yards before it reaches the station; and every time it moves in the yards they are continually hopping on and off the train, and some have even been known to ride a quarter of a mile and leave the train when it is moving at full speed. This is very dangerous pastime for boys and should be stopped. Parents ought to be very careful about allowing their boys to play near the depot during the time the train is there. Now is the time to take warning and prevent your sons from being brought home to you with their bodies mangled from the train passing over them.

It is only through the practical operation of bimetalism that a stable standard of value can be secured. A standard constituted of money constantly increasing in value is not a sound, a single nor a stable standard, but a constantly changing standard. The effect of gold monometallism is to establish one standard for the creditor and another for the debtor, and there can be no more dishonest monetary system than that which gives short measure to the borrower and long measure to the lender. Under the policy prevailing prior to 1873 there can be no violent change in the relative value of the two metals, for a raise in value of one metal is counteracted by a decreased demand, and a fall in value by an increased demand. Under the operations of this beneficial law a stable relation was maintained between them in spite of the most extreme changes in relative productions. From the earliest period of our history up to 1873 the right of the debtor to choose whether he should pay his debts in silver or gold coin was always recognized. The subsequent policy has been to transfer this right to the creditor, thus tending to constantly increase the value of the dearer metal and destroy the parity between them.

NO MONOPOLY.

The Silver Belt lets forth the following in regard to the action of Graham county officials in attempting to collect the tax of the new railroad:

"We cannot question that the action of the Board of Supervisors of Graham county, in attempting to reach Globe by rail, is the ultimate thule of those for whom they are acting. Wagon transportation is the utmost boundary of their desire, as is evidenced by the negative vote of their representatives—Shannon, Brewer and Skinner—upon the passage of the bill exempting all railroads from taxation and their personal property used in the actual operation or construction of such railroad, until the first day of March in the year 1903."

Our venerable brother Hackney usually makes use of some very sensible utterances, but now and then he slashes around like a horse with an acute attack of the "bots." The GUARDIAN is opposed to the Railroad Exemption Law, and wishes its readers to know it, but it appears that Bro. Hackney has no use for the GUARDIAN, never has had, and loses no opportunity to manifest opposition to this paper and its policy. Brother Hackney does not believe in two papers in one county. He loves the field to himself. He hates competition. He hates to be crowded. He believes that public funds are a "private pudding," so far as the official paper is concerned. He wishes but one paper in Gila county and therefore has no love for the example set by the GUARDIAN in bobbing up in his neighboring county of Graham and sailing so majestically before the breeze.

The GUARDIAN detests monopoly among newspapers, as well as all other monopoly. It believes in fair play and no pets, applied to railroads and newspapers alike, and approves the acts of our representatives. In this country we believe in carrying nobody. Pay your fare or else get out and walk. That is the motto of the GUARDIAN. Brother Hackney, we would kindly and fraternally suggest that you take a good, hot, red-pepper foot bath at night, with an internal application to your stomach of "chile-con-carne," plunge into bed with a horse blanket around your head, and perhaps the morning may find your pulse more regular, your digestion improved and your spirits more congenial and somewhat attuned to your surroundings. Our prescription is gratuitous.

TWO BALLOONISTS at Phenix are now laid up for repairs. Last week they arranged for an ascension; one of them seated himself on the trapeze bar of the parachute, and commenced the journey skyward; all went well until the balloon had reached a height of about 30 feet when the rope gave way and he came to earth again with a thud that caused him to see stars for several minutes. The crowd was disappointed and his partner promised that he would make an ascension himself the same evening. At 8 o'clock, according to agreement, he commenced the upward journey. At the height of several hundred feet the parachute was cut loose, and he shot towards the earth in safety until he was directly over a house when the parachute gave a lurch to one side, mopping the aeronaut across the roof of the house with terrible force, which caused him to let go the parachute and drop to the ground insensible, and he is now wondering how it all happened.

THE I. O. G. T. The public installation of officers of the Good Templars took place in the Safford Drug Co's building last Tuesday night as per previously arranged program. The house was crowded with an attentive audience, and Mrs. J. D. Hartzler administered the oath and installed the officers after which the following program was rendered: Recitations by Lillie Morris, Wilson Ore and Ella Ore, and address by Judge McCollum, recitation by Joseph Place, and address by Wm. Place, recitation by Myrtle Hartzler, singing of closing ode and prayer. The lodge people had provided an ice cream supper in the basement, together with cake and lemonade, the proceedings of which are to be used in the purchase of an organ for the lodge which it is badly in need of. After the regular program, different amusements were indulged in until about 11:30, when the lodge people turned the house over to the proprietors and they in turn turned it over to the young people who procured music and indulged in dancing until about 3 o'clock. Every body expressed themselves as having passed an enjoyable and instructive evening and the membership of the lodge was increased to 70.

THE Phenix Republican is suffering from an acute attack of some sort which needs the immediate attention of some one skilled in political physics. Phenix atmosphere seems to have inoculated its system to such an extent that it snaps at imaginary objects like a demented canine in dog-days. Its quill driver had better flee from that Babylon of political debauchery for a while and come over into the pure and wholesome atmosphere of Old Graham, where we are all at peace, in love with each other, don't poke our noses into other people's affairs, where we keep our heads cool, our temperature normal and our breath sweet, where we enjoy the unceasing odor of our countless alfalfa fields, where there is an airy near every doorstep to sweeten our joys of life, where the perpetual gurgle of our irrigating canals lulls us to slumber by its peaceful music commingled with the chorus of native song-birds, and where we have more pretty girls to the acre than all the rest of the universe combined from Kalamazoo to Kingdom come. Come brother, come at once.

THE article written by Prof. Tully on the new School Law arrived to late for publication this week but will appear in our next issue.

Death of Judge Alexander.

At 4 o'clock one week ago today the soul of Judge H. N. Alexander, of Phenix, passed from this world to the world beyond. His death was sudden and unexpected, caused by heart failure. He was born in Zanesville O., Oct 24th 1832 being 62 years of age at the time of his death. He came to the Pacific coast in 1851 and located at San Francisco. From that time he lived in various parts of California until 1864 when he came to Arizona and located at Yuma, where he acted as master of transportation for the government in Arizona during war times. In 1883 he located at Phenix where he has resided ever since as a successful lawyer.

The deceased leaves a wife, three sons and two daughters. J. L. B. Alexander, clerk of the supreme court, is one of the sons, and Mrs. A. C. Baker, wife of the chief justice, is his daughter.

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Time Table No. 11.

In Effect June 12, 1895.

Mountain Time is Standard Used.

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No. 31 (No. 2)	STATIONS.	No. 4 (No. 22)	
6:30a	3:55p	4:45a	12:45p
7:30a	4:05p	5:45a	1:45p
8:00a	4:28p	6:45a	2:45p
8:40a	4:55p	7:45a	3:45p
9:30a	5:10p	8:45a	4:45p
10:35a	6:00p	9:45a	5:45p
11:00a	6:10p	10:45a	6:45p
11:55a	6:20p	11:45a	7:45p
12:50p	7:25p	12:45p	8:45p
1:30p	8:02p	1:45p	9:45p
1:50p	8:25p	2:45p	10:45p
2:28p	8:40p	3:45p	11:45p
2:35p	9:00p	4:45p	12:45p
2:52p	9:15p	5:45p	1:45p
3:20p	9:35p	6:45p	2:45p
3:47p	9:50p	7:45p	3:45p
4:15p	10:15p	8:45p	4:45p
4:45p	10:40p	9:45p	5:45p
5:03p	10:55p	10:45p	6:45p
5:30p	11:20p	11:45p	7:45p
5:50p	11:40p	12:45p	8:45p
6:00p	11:47p	1:45p	9:45p
6:15p	11:55p	2:45p	10:45p
6:30p	12:00p	3:45p	11:45p
6:50p	12:20p	4:45p	12:45p

Summons.

In the District Court, Second Judicial District, Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

MILLARD F. McBRIDE, Plaintiff.

VS.

William M. Hurst, John W. Wiley, August Klein, Emeline Putnam, Metropolitan National Bank of Kansas City Missouri, Fish and Keck Company of Kansas City Missouri, and Henry Kollar, co-partners doing business under the firm name of Hurst, Black, Klein and Wiley Defendants.

Action brought in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona in and for the County of Graham.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons if served in this county, but if served out of the county but within this district then within twenty days, in any other case within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required judgment by default will be taken against you, as prayed in said complaint, and costs and disbursements in this behalf expended.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court aforesaid, at Solomonville, this 28th day of June 1895. BURWELL R. ADAMS, Clerk.

Wiley E. Jones, attorney for plaintiff.

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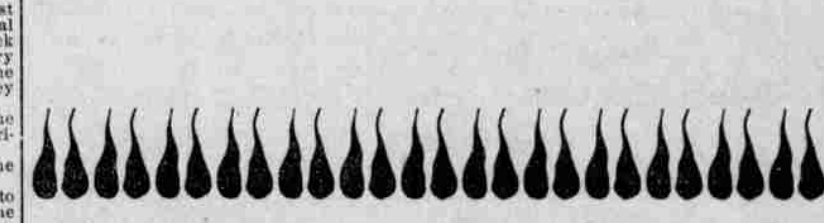
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